

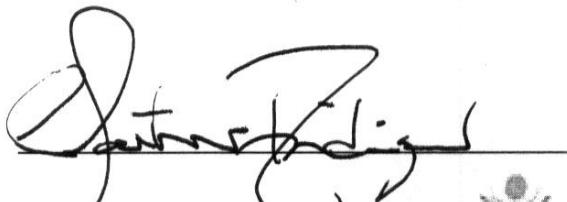
THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
ASHEVILLE DIVISION  
CIVIL CASE NO. 1:12-cv-00360-MR-DLH

RALPH O'NEIL STARNES, et al., )  
Plaintiffs, )  
vs. )                           O R D E R  
A.O. SMITH CORPORATION, et al., )  
Defendants. )  
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**THIS MATTER** is before the Court on the parties' Consent Motion to Dismiss Defendant Flowserve Corporation [Doc. 346].

For the reasons stated in the motion, and for cause shown,

**IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED** that the Consent Motion [Doc. 346] is **GRANTED**, and all of the Plaintiffs' claims against Defendant Flowserve Corporation f/k/a The Duriron Company and also sued as successor-by-merger to Durco International are hereby **DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE**.

  
Martin Reidinger  
United States District Judge

